

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is a proud partner of the 4th USA Science & Engineering Festival (USASEF).

When: April 16-17, 2016 - 10:00 am to 6:00 pm (open to the general public)

Where: Walter E. Washington Convention Center, 801 Mt. Vernon Place NW, Washington, DC 20001

Booth Locations: Hall DE Booth Number **5709** / Hall ABC Booth Number **3932**

Join us as we turn STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) into STEAM (by adding “Agriculture”) with hands-on activities to explore agriculture, food safety, nutrition, drone technology, water monitoring, entomology, natural resources and conservation, and many more. We will also offer information on careers in agriculture and USDA.



The 2-day expo is perfect for children, teens, families, and anyone with a curious mind who is looking for a weekend of fun and discovery.

Join over 350,000 K-12 students, parents, teachers, and professionals to experience a celebration of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM)!

Participants include more than 750 of the world's leading professional scientific and engineering societies, universities, government agencies, high-tech corporations, and STEM outreach and community organizations.

New this year: USDA will be participating in the “Meet the Scientists and Engineers Program” on Sunday, April 17th from 11:00AM-11:50AM in the Career Pavilion. This is an informal setting where students can conduct in-person interviews with USDA scientists and engineers.

Multiple USDA agencies including National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA), Forest Service (FS), Agricultural Research Service (ARS), Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS), Natural Resources Conservation Services (NRCS), Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) and Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS), Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) will be participating in this event.

For more information, visit www.usasciencefestival.org.